UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF OHIO WESTERN DIVISION

DANIEL BRONSON, : Case No. 1:22-cv-149

Plaintiff.

: Judge Timothy S. Black

VS.

: Magistrate Judge Karen L. Litkovitz

OHIO DEPARTMENT OF :

TRANSPORTATION,

Defendant. :

DECISION AND ENTRY ADOPTING THE REPORT AND RECOMMENDATION OF THE UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE (Doc. 4); AND TERMINATING THIS CASE ON THE COURT'S DOCKET

This case is before the Court pursuant to the Order of General Reference to United States Magistrate Judge Karen L. Litkovitz. Pursuant to such reference, the Magistrate Judge submitted a Report and Recommendation on March 29, 2022, recommending that this case be dismissed with prejudice. (Doc. 4). No objections were filed to the Report and Recommendation, and the time for doing so has now expired.

As required by 28 U.S.C. § 636(b) and Fed. R. Civ. P. 72(b), the Court has reviewed the comprehensive findings of the Magistrate Judge and considered *de novo* all of the relevant filings in this case. Upon consideration of the foregoing, the Court finds that the Report and Recommendation should be and is hereby adopted in its entirety. Accordingly:

- 1. The Report and Recommendation (Doc. 4) is **ADOPTED**;
- 2. The above-referenced civil action is hereby **DISMISSED** with prejudice;

- 3. The Clerk shall enter judgment accordingly, whereupon this case shall be **TERMINATED** on the docket of this Court; and
- 4. Pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1915(a), the Court certifies that an appeal of this Order would not be taken in good faith and, therefore, this Court **DENIES** Plaintiff leave to appeal *in forma pauperis*.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Date:	7/5/2022	s/Timothy S. Black
		Timothy S. Black
		United States District Judge